



Seacroft Golf Club

ESTABLISHED 1895

Corporate, Social, Responsibility Statement

Our CSR statement is in two parts -

1. Our Social Policy in our Local Community
2. Our Environmental Policy

Our Social Policy in our Local Community

- We use local suppliers, so far as is possible to minimise transport and CO2 emissions but also promote local produce. We use local trade's people and companies for property maintenance and operation.
- We work closely with the local authorities and all statutory authorities to ensure that we operate our business above the minimum standards for Environmental Health and Safety.
- So far as possible we ensure that most areas of the golf club are accessible for mobility impaired customers.
- We generously support many charities.

Our Environmental Policy

- We invested in a Biomass boiler to heat the clubhouse and water in 2014. Biomass is a biological material derived from living organisms such as plants, making it an environmentally friendly source of energy. Biomass is also considered a 'carbon neutral' form of energy because the same amount of carbon dioxide released by the burning process is later re-absorbed by growing plants.
- We invested in solar panels on the clubhouse roof.
- We actively monitor our energy consumption and investigate initiatives to reduce our consumption.
- We recycle our cardboard, glass, plastic, cooking oils and engine oils.
- We use recycled paper wherever possible.
- To assist in water conservation SGC uses a borehole (typically 39 metres deep) along with mains water. A borehole can provide an

essential and consistent water supply to a golf course to minimise the reliance on mains water. It can also be used as an emergency back up in times of drought, something increasingly common over the last few years.

- We have installed a large proportion of low energy and long-life LED lighting around the clubhouse and fitted sensor switches.
- When equipment is renewed, we source the most energy efficient product.
- Seacroft takes its impact on the environment very seriously. Most of the area covered by the course is a designated SSSI area and we work closely with Natural England to maintain rare plants and grasses which grow in this habitat.
- We were finalists in the 2018 Skegness Business Awards Green Category.
- We encourage the use car sharing on business travel.